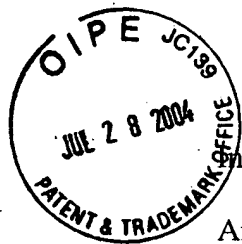


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Official Action dated June 18, 2004, the applicant hereby requests reconsideration and allowance of the application in view of the following.

Figure 1 stands objected as requiring a legend, such as "Prior Art". Claims 2-4, 8-10, 12-17, and 19 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph as indefinite. Claims 1-19 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as unpatentable over Donnell (U.S. 3,611,607) in view of Fitzpatrick et al. (U.S. 6,651,371).

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